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FOREWORD

It was in 1926, just fourteen years ago, when the last issue of the "Our Yesterdays" was published by Berne High School. Due to various reasons it was decided best to discontinue its publishing. Since then the "Budget" has been the only publication of the school. When it was learned at the beginning of this school year that the "Budget" could no longer be published, the Senior Class again took upon themselves the publishing of the "Our Yesterdays." It was not until the second semester that the annual staff was chosen and work was begun at once. It was a new experience for all of us, but with the capable help and advice of Mr. Webb, our faculty advisor and class sponsor, we are now able and proud to present to you the 1940 edition of the "Our Yesterdays." In it we have tried to bring to our readers a look into the classes and activities of our school. We have tried to show you what school life is to the students in Berne High School. If this annual will recall memories to the former graduates, and be a means for remembering high school days for the present students, the publication thereof will be more than justified.

DEDICATION

That we may fittingly express our sincere appreciation to those who so willingly made sacrifices that we might enjoy educational opportunities, who have followed our activities and achievements through the years with prayerful hearts, who have advised and encouraged us with understanding, to the Fathers and Mothers of the graduating class, we affectionately dedicate this volume of the "OUR YESTER-DAYS."



OLD SCHOOL BUILDING

With fond and lingering memories we look back to the days spent in this "dear old home of schools." Deep in our hearts is rooted an inexpressible affection for the place where first we learned our reading, 'riting, and 'rithmetic.

Not only for us, but also for the seven hundred forty graduates who completed their high school education in this building, will this picture ever revive cherished memories. As we "take a trip on memory's ship" back to those school days, numerous scenes clearly return to our minds—

"Within the master's desk is seen,
Deep scarred by raps official;
The warping floor, the battered seats,
The jackknife's carved initial;
The charcoal frescoes on the wall;
Its door's worn sill, betraying
The feet that, creeping slow to school,
Went storming out to playing."

And then we cannot forget the bell that pealed forth so faithfully through the years, calling us to work and from play.

Although for many years Berne has hoped for and looked forward to a new school, it is with not a little regret that we part with the building that has served us so faithfully.

And ah! If the schoolhouse could but speak its farewell to us—such secrets as it could reveal. How many interesting incidents it witnessed! There were the struggles over lessons, yes, and even tears; and those undesirable but necessary scenes of character building! Also the happier times—the lengthy tete-a-tetes in the halls, between shy youths and fair maidens, which often resulted in even more than lasting friendships. These secrets which it has shared with us made it our friend.

Probably the highest tribute we can pay to it is to keep the high ideals of the institution it has cradled upheld forever!

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NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

It almost seemed like a dream when work was begun for our new school building. A new school building had been the hope and dream in the hearts and minds of the people of Berne and community ever since the old building had been declared unsafe by state inspectors more than twenty years ago. In later years a renewed interest was shown toward getting a new building, and our new \$127,000 structure came as a result of the untiring efforts of local school and town officials.

Conveniently located at the intersection of Highways 27 and 118, the building is one that would be an asset to any city, and the people of Berne can rightly feel proud of their new school building.

ADMINISTRATION



SCHOOL BOARD



DR. E. D. BIXLER

President

Board of Education

H. A. SPRUNGER

Treasurer

Board of Education



DR. RUFUS VON GUNTEN

Secretary

Board of Education



FACULTY

EARL M. WEBB
Superintendent

A.B., Earlham College
M.A., Chicago University
H. S. Principal, Hollansburg, Ohio, one year
H. S. Principal, New London, three years
H. S. Principal, Berne, one year
H. S. Principal, Monroe, three years
Supt. of Schools, Berne, eleven years
Supt., English, Public Speaking



CAROLINE I. HIRSCHY
Principal

A.B., M.S., Indiana University
Adams County Rural Schools, four years
Mount Vernon High School, five years
Berne High School, nineteen years
Principal, Algebra, German



EDISON SPRUNGER

Bluffton College
Stout Institute
B.S., Ball State Teachers College
Monroe High School, one year
Berne High School, eighteen years
Industrial Arts, Geometry

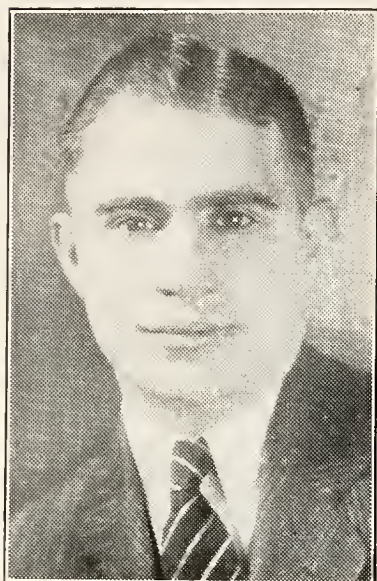


FACULTY

MAYNARD HETRICK

B.S., Ball State Teachers College
Graduate Work, Indiana University, toward
M.S.

Berne High School, fifteen years
Business Education



WILLIAM H. SPURGEON

A.B., Central Normal
State Normal, Terre Haute
Rosamond, Illinois, one year
Berne High School, eleven years
Science, Mathematics, Safety



JUDSON S. ERNE

A.B., North Central College
Indiana State Teachers College
Berne High School, nine years
Social Studies, Physical Education, Coach



FACULTY

FREEMAN BURKHALTER

B.M. Ed., Northwestern University
Snead Seminary, Boaz, Alabama, one year
Berne Schools, five years
Music



GLENNYS ARNOLD

A.B., Ball State Teachers College
Petroleum High School, three years
Kirkland High School, six years
Berne High School, four years
Home Economics, Physical Education



JUNE FOGELSONGER

B.S., Manchester College
Millersburg High School, two years
Sidney High School, two years
Berne High School, two years
Latin, Art, English



FACULTY



RALPH McCLAIN

A.B., M.S., Indiana University
Berne Schools, six years
Social Studies, Mathematics

SALOME SCHUG

Fort Wayne Bible Institute
B.S., Wheaton College
French Township, one year
Berne Public Schools, seven years
Fort Wayne Bible Institute, five years
Berne Schools, eighteen years
English



EVELYN HABEGGER
Office Secretary
till March 24



LOUISE SPRUNGER
Present Office Secretary

SENIORS



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

*Left to Right—HOWARD LUGINBILL, Pres.; ELIZABETH
SPRUNGER, Vice Pres.; CAROLYN MUSELMAN, Sec.;
JUNIOR BURRY, Treas.*



HENRIETTA BIXLER

"Some think the world was made for fun and frolic, . . . and so do I."

Alpha; Glee Club 1, 4; "Young Smitty" 3; Cheer Leader 2, 3, 4.

JUNIOR BURRY

"Six feet of foolishness."

Alpha; Annual Staff 4; Class Treas. 3, 4; Alpha Treas. 3; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 3.

MARJORIE GOTTSCHALK

"Friendly and always willing to help."

Arena; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

ARVIAN HABEGGER

"Bashful was Arvian till Helen came along, Now both are contented and life is a song."

Alpha; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 3, 4; "Anne of Green Gables" 4; Operetta 3.

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HELEN HABEGGER

"In every thought sincere."

Alpha; Glee Club 3, 4; A Cappella 4; Librarian 4.

LORIS LE FEVER

"Quiet till you know him."

Arena; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

CLARA LEHMAN

"Short and sweet."

Arena; Glee Club 4.

HAROLD LEHMAN

"You can't keep a good man down."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Class Treas. 2; Class Vice Pres. 3; Arena Sergeant 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 4; Operetta 3; Woodwind Quintet 3; Clarinet Quartet 4; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.





DOROTHY LIECHTY

*"A quiet nature has she,
But mischief lurks beneath."*

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Class Sec. 2; Glee Club 2, 3; A Cappella 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3.

EMMA JANE LIECHTY

*"Always happy, never sad;
Sometimes naughty, but never bad."*

Alpha; Alpha Sec. 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 4; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.

HOWARD LUGINBILL

"He's an all-around good fellow."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Class Pres. 1, 3, 4; Arena Sec. 3; Arena Pres. 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Operetta 1, 3; Clarinet Quartet 3, 4; "Young Smitty" 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.

MAXINE MOSER

*"An amiable brunette—
Takes things easy."*

Alpha; Class Vice Pres. 1; Alpha Sec. 3; Alpha Pres. 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2; Operetta 3; Budget Staff 3.

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CAROLYN MUSELMAN

"As many good points as a package of pins."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Class Sec. 4; Arena Sec. 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 3; "Young Smitty" 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.

CLAREN NEUENSCHWANDER

"Quick, undaunted, a good sport."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; B. B. Captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella 3; Operetta 1, 3.

MAXINE NEUENSCHWANDER

"Let me have an audience—

I was sent to talk."

Arena; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; "Young Smitty" 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.

VERA NEUENSCHWANDER

"A jolly lass chuck-full of fun;

She's always nice to everyone."

Arena; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.





KENYON NUSSBAUM

"Takes things as they come."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 3, 4; Band 4; Orchestra 4; Operetta 3; "Young Smitty" 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.

CLARENCE SCHINDLER

"'Slug' is not lazy—

Just in love with rest."

Arena; Basketball and Baseball Mgr. 2, 3, 4.

TED SCHINDLER

"This boy so tall and straight and slim,

We all like because it's him."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Class Treas. 1; Class Pres. 2; Arena Sergeant 4; Basketball 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella 3; Operetta 1, 3.

JULIA SCHMID

"Her fingers are like elves, a-dance on the keys."

Arena; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Operetta 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.

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FREDERICK SCHUG

"Always seen, but never heard."

Arena; "Young Smitty" 3.

RUTH SOLDNER

"Well done or not at all."

Arena; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Woodwind Quintet 3; Flute Quartet 4; "Young Smitty" 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4; Valedictorian.

ELIZABETH SPRUNGER

"Good sense and good nature are never separated."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Class Vice Pres. 4; Arena Vice Pres. 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Operetta 3; "Young Smitty" 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4; Budget Staff 2.

FLORIEDA SPRUNGER

"Unassuming brunette;

Quiet, but friendly."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.





EVELYN STUCKY

"She profits most who serves best."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Arena Ass't. Pianist 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Operetta 3; "Young Smitty" 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.

WALDO STUCKEY

"All the world loves a lover."

Arena; Annual Staff 4; Arena Treas. 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Operetta 3; Clarinet Quartet 4; "Young Smitty" 3.

MARY ALYCE WINTEREGG

"When joy and duty clash

Let duty go to smash."

Arena.

PHYLLIS ZEHR

"Full of vigor, dash, and go—that is why we love her so."

Alpha; Annual Staff 4; Class Sec. 1, 3; Alpha Vice Pres. 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 3; Clarinet Quartet 3; "Young Smitty" 3; "Anne of Green Gables" 4.

WALTER ZUERCHER

"For he's a jolly good fellow."

Alpha.

COMMENCEMENT CALENDAR

May 10. Junior-Senior Reception

May 17. Alumni Banquet

May 19. Baccalaureate Service

May 20. Commencement Exercises

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

'Way back in 1936, thirty-three Freshmen bashfully found their way to seats in the high school. As previous classes did, we chose four people from our class to protect us from our fellow citizens, the Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors. We elected Howard Luginbill to serve as our president. The officers with him were Maxine Moser, our vice president; Phyllis Zehr, our secretary, and Ted Schindler, our treasurer; and with Miss Arnold as our sponsor, we started forth quite confidently. The biggest event in our first high school year was our class party. The party was in celebration of St. Valentine's Day. We Freshmen felt ignored by the upper-classmen, but we unconsciously urged it on by wearing green.

In the fall of 1937 the name "Freshmen" was discarded and to be regarded with pity. Our group was decreased by one person this year. Early in the spring all of us worked hard to have an entertaining party in April. It was a success, mostly because of the initiative of our four class officers, namely Ted Schindler, our president, assisted by Orval Habegger, Dorothy Liechty, and Harold Lehman.

Our Junior year was filled with new and interesting events. Early in the fall we chose Howard Luginbill to guide us through a successful year. His assistants were Harold Lehman, Phyllis Zehr, and Junior Burry. Our class party this year was a St. Patrick's Day party. On Nov. 15 a cast of Juniors presented "Young Smitty," a humorous play which pleased the audience very much. A more exciting evening of our Junior year was the night we entertained the Seniors with a reception. We were proud when it was acclaimed successful by the Seniors; its success was due to the cooperation of all our class members.

Seniors are to be sophisticated, and we tried our best to live up to our name until the high school Hallowe'en party on October 31, which brought us back to normal. We also helped plan the second high school party, a Valentine party held on February 12.

Our class officers this year have been Howard Luginbill, president; Elizabeth Sprunger, vice president; Carolyn Muselman, secretary, and Junior Burry, treasurer.

For a class motto, we chose "The elevator to success is not running; take the stairs." We have learned that success comes only through the exerting of energy. Most of us were partial to roses, so we picked the American Beauty rose for our class flower. With flying colors, choosing blue and silver for class colors, we seniors published this annual, which is the first one since 1926.

For further entertainment, we presented our class play, "Anne of Green Gables," on April 9.

With memories of the experiences we have had together and with the many opportunities before us, we twenty-nine seniors enter into Life's School of Experience, anticipating a climb which we hope will lead to success for each one of us.

SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

The opening game of the World Series of 1954 was to be in St. Louis, Missouri. The series this year held a special interest for me since two of my high school classmates had made themselves famous as star players among the St. Louis Cardinals. Today was my first opportunity to see them play since the year of 1940.

As I was nearing St. Louis, I drove up to "Slug's Super Service Station." When I paid the attendant, he inquired if I was going to the game at St. Louis. I answered that I was going because two of my former high school classmates were playing for the Cards.

"They couldn't be Burry and Neuenschwander by any chance?" he asked.

"Why, how did you guess it?" I exclaimed.

"Because they were my classmates, too—and I recognized you. Don't you remember 'Slug' Schindler?"

Was I surprised! The ambitious attendant who owned this prosperous station was Clarence Schindler, whom I hadn't seen for years.

By the time I got to St. Louis I just had time to get a bite of lunch at a restaurant before hurrying off to the game. Suddenly, as I was eating, beautiful strains of music filled the room. I turned, and there on a small platform stood Walter Zuercher, playing the requests of the guests on his faithful old accordion.

Having finished my lunch, I started on my way toward "Sportsman's Field." I stopped to admire some jewelry in a window when two fine looking ladies came out of the store. Immediately I recognized them as two of my former classmates, Maxine Moser and Henrietta Bixler. They informed me they were both interior decorators, and although it was high time to get to the game, I went with them to their offices, which were in a magnificent building across the street.

Arriving at the ball park, I handed the usher my ticket. As I did so another usher shouted, "Hurry up, Schug, game's starting." At the sound of that familiar name I looked up, and to my surprise I saw that my usher was Frederick Schug.

When the band began to play the "Star Spangled Banner," I knew I had arrived just in time. Watching the band, I turned my attention to the director, whose face looked familiar. By the time they had finished the national anthem, I recognized him to be Kenyon Nussbaum, who, I knew, had made a success in the field of music.

The game was beginning! On the pitcher's mound was Junior Burry winding up for the first pitch against the opposing batter of the Chicago White Sox. Immediately I was heart and soul in the game.

The game was now in full swing. As the third pitch crossed the plate, there was a sudden crash and a hot grounder to short, neatly fielded with one hand, flipped wildly to first, with a sensational catch made by Neuenschwander for the first out of the game.

The game progressed with little action until the latter part of the sixth inning, the Cards for the first time in the game being able to find the pitching of the White Sox.

The White Sox were leading with a score of 2-0. With Neuenschwander at the plate, the Cards were up to bat. The bases were loaded, but already two men had struck out. The game depended on Neuenschwander—would he strike out or—? On the third pitch he hit a fast ball which kept going, going, and right over the top of the left field wall!!! This brought in the men on base, making the score 4-2 in favor of the Cards.

I was jumping around excitedly, and with my hands waving violently, I shouted all sorts of encouragement to the team. Suddenly I heard someone exclaim something to me. When I looked at the lady in front of me, she was recovering her hat from the lap of the man beside her, where apparently my hand had sent it in my excitement. Apologizing to her, I discovered she was none other than Emma Jane Liechty. The gentleman who was the hat rack victim was Harold Lehman! After a short conversation, I learned that Emma Jane was a child specialist, working in the same clinic as Dr. Lehman, surgeon, in a city about twenty miles from St. Louis.

Between the exciting moments of the game we began talking about our classmates. They told me Ruth Soldner was Superintendent of Nurses in a Chicago hospital. Our class seemed interested in the medical field, for they said that Clara Lehman, too, was a nurse, working in her home town in Missouri.

They called my attention to a distinguished looking gentleman with a high silk hat who was sitting in the first row of box seats with his wife, a former Berne girl. This gentleman could be none other than Senator Howard M. Luginbill.

After several exciting plays, the ball game ended with the Cards winning with a score of 6-3. Burry, as pitcher, had won a great victory for the Cards!

Passing by the lunch stand on the way to my car, I saw a lady buying candy for her dog. The affection she displayed for her dog reminded me of Mary Alyce Winteregg, who I discovered that it really was.

Continuing my way through the crowd, I suddenly heard a masculine voice ask me if I cared for a ride uptown. I paid no attention, although I knew it was the well-dressed man to my left. As he headed for his Cadillac, he laughingly asked me if I remembered him or not.

"I'm your old classmate, Waldo Stuckey," he said. He told me that he was a business executive in California and had come east on his vacation. Just then a black curly head appeared at the car window. The little fellow stuck his tongue out at me, then shouted, "Hurry up, Pop."

It was late when I got home that night. The day had certainly been full of interesting events! Meeting so many of my former classmates had made me lonesome for my home town so I decided to take a trip to Berne.

The next evening I caught the train bound for Berne. The conductor of the train happened to be Loris LeFever.

What a coincidence that Carolyn "Muselman" and her husband should be riding in the same car! They were returning from a series of evangelistic meetings to Detroit, where her husband was the minister in a prominent church.

At Evansville my train stopped for half an hour. I got out to rest myself and began walking toward the residential district. I saw two well dressed little girls being chaperoned on a walk by their nurse. As I came near, I recognized the nurse to be Vera Neuenschwander. She told me she was governess for the children of a wealthy family in the city.

My train was leaving in ten minutes; there was just time enough to hurry in to the "Ratcliff Drug Store" to buy a paper. When I bought the paper from the proprietor, Mr. Ratcliff, his wife came walking toward us. At once I saw that she was the former Marjorie Gottschalk, who, I knew, had married a man from Evansville. I spoke to her for a few seconds and then ran for my train.

When I was comfortably seated in the train again, I began to read my paper. As I turned to the third page, I found myself looking at a picture of Maxine Neuenschwander standing before a microphone. Seated at a piano near by was Julia Schmid. Quickly I began reading the article under the picture. It stated that Miss Neuenschwander and Miss Schmid, who had been traveling together on concert tours in the United States and Europe, were to broadcast a special program over a nation wide hook-up that evening.

On another page, I read that Phyllis Zehr had accepted a position as air stewardess for TWA.

When I arrived at Berne, the first person I met on the street was Evelyn Stucky. She was also home on a vacation from her work in Detroit, where she was stenographer in a large manufacturing concern.

When I was going to call a friend of mine on the telephone, I immediately recognized the voice of the operator as belonging to Dorothy Liechty, who was, by this time, the head operator in Berne.

The next morning, Sunday, I went to church. The Rev. and Mrs. Arvian Habegger, missionaries among the American Indians, were the speakers of the morning. Mrs. Habegger was, of course, the former Helen Habegger.

That afternoon, when I turned on the radio, I heard the voice of Elizabeth Sprunger, who had become famous in radio by broadcasting, daily, the program, "World News as Seen Through the Eyes of the Women."

I was told that Florieda Sprunger had gained the distinction of being the best saleslady in Berne. She was now manager of her father's store.

I decided to take the airplane from the Fort Wayne airport for home since I had to get back sooner than I had expected. I was not at all surprised to find Ted Schindler there, the chief mechanical engineer of the airport.

We talked about the classmates I had met in the past week. Each one already climbed so high on the ladder to success that we could be justly proud of them.

PHYLLIS ZEHR

ELIZABETH SPRUNGER

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Senior Class of the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty, being of sane mind and sound judgment, and possessing a certain degree of knowledge gained during our high school career, in leaving our beloved Berne High School, do hereby make, publish, and declare this our last will and testament.

To our teachers, we will the knowledge we left in our textbooks.

To the Juniors, we bequeath the affection the teachers have for us, and our dignity as Seniors.

To the Sophomores, we bequeath our super-natural ability with books; also our secret signs and signals so they can communicate more easily.

To the Freshmen, we will our positions as upper-classmen with the hopes that they may benefit by our example.

I, Emma Jane Liechty, will my ability to get along with Mr. Hetrick to Palmer Liechty.

I, Vera Neuenschwander, will my daily reports on Dorothy Dix to Patsy Sprunger providing she doesn't take the advice too seriously.

I, Ted Schindler, will my photographic ability to Norbert Nyffeler providing he doesn't waste too many films on the fairer sex.

I, Clarence Schindler, will to Jim Bixler all my unfinished tasks as manger to be completed.

I, Frederick Schug, will my quiet and studious nature to "Moni" Neuenschwander.

I, Henrietta Bixler, will my art of giggling to Evelyn Wittwer.

I, Kenyon Nussbaum, will my straight black hair to Harry Luginbill.

I, Walter Zuercher, will my managership of the concession stand to any honest and upright student who will be a good salesman.

I, Arvian Habegger, will my ability to write romantic poetry to any young boy afflicted with the same malady as I.

I, Loris LeFever, will my red hair to any girl who wants it in order to save the expense of dyeing her own.

I, Julia Schmid, will my seat at the piano in the orchestra to Beraldine Gerig.

I, Carolyn Muselman, will my violin and my ability to play it to next year's orchestra.

To any industrious typing student, I, Florieda Sprunger, will my job of typing other people's themes.

I, Ruth Soldner, will my position as class valedictorian to anyone who has the persistence to keep studying.

I, Junior Barry, will my quick wit to Marion Smith providing he doesn't overshadow my popularity.

I, Waldo Stuckey, will my ability to catch up on sleep in school to Donnie Lehman providing he doesn't snore.

I, Maxine Moser, will my empty stationery box and my extra stamps to any Junior who will need them in the future.

I, Claren Neuenschwander, will to next year's teams my worn-out basketball and baseball shoes providing they are kept in the trophy case in my remembrance.

I, Elizabeth Sprunger, will my businesslike and attentive manner to Deryll Sprunger.

I, Clara Lehman, will my quiet and tender nature to Virginia Heller.

I, Dorothy Liechty, will my front seat in Civics class to anyone else who Mr. Erne thinks needs watching.

I, Maxine Neuenschwander, will to Ardythe Luginbill my ability to always find something to say when I'm not supposed to.

I, Marjorie Gottschalk, will all my practically worn-out books to my sister Vivian to be used next year.

I, Phyllis Zehr, will my inefficient alarm clock to Arthur Habegger providing he repairs the same so it will serve its purpose.

I, Harold Lehman, will my reputation as a heart smasher to Harold Nussbaum.

I, Evelyn Stucky, will my enjoyment of Ohio country roads to anyone who can afford the gas to ride on them.

I, Mary Alyce Winteregg, will my love for dogs to Jeanette Reusser.

I, Helen Habegger, will my job in the library to anyone who can get such a constant and willing helper as I had.

I, Howard Luginbill, will my daily visit with the office clerk to any next year's senior boy who has an assembly period after dinner.

If there should be any of our property remaining that we have not bequeathed, we leave it to anyone who wishes to possess the same.

In testimony whereof we have affixed our seal to this our last will and testament at Berne, Indiana, on this twenty-second day of April in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Forty.

The foregoing instrument was signed by the said Senior Class as their last will and testament in our presence, and at their request we now subscribe our names as witnesses.

MARIE SCHWARTZ, '41
PALMER LIECHTY, '41

JUNIORS



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Left to Right—ROY SCHWARTZ, Sec.; GYNETH SCHINDLER, Treas.; MARJORIE HABEGGER, Vice Pres.; EDWARD EICHENBERGER, Pres.



CLASS OF 1941

First Row—Harriet Sprunger, Jeanette Sprunger, Howard Neuenschwander, Richard Burdge, Ned Riesen, Maxine Beavers, Jeanette Amstutz, Elizabeth Hirschy, Vivian Gottschalk.

Second Row—Betty Graber, Lucille Sprunger, Deryll Sprunger, Esther Habegger, Patsy Sprunger, Palmer Liechty, Vera Nussbaum, Donald Lehman, Roy Schwartz.

Third Row—Gyneth Schindler, Marjorie Habegger, Marie Schwartz, Roger Luginbill, Glenn Habegger, Vera Balsiger, Virginia Nussbaum, Madonna Liechty.

Fourth Row—James Sprunger, Marion Smith, Edward Eichenberger, Jr., Arthur Dale Habegger, Kenneth Parrish, Jacob Musser, Lynn Liechty, Robert McKean.

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

When we entered high school in the fall of 1937, we chose Roger Luginbili as our chief guide to help us overcome our sensitive feeling in this new world, the senior high school. Deryll Sprunger, Donald Lehman, and Lynn Liechty were his three official helpers. The biggest event during our Freshman year was the night of our Christmas party.

In the year of 1938 we had advanced to the Sophomore stage. Palmer Liechty led us through our Sophomore year as our president, assisted by Roger Luginbili, Lynn Liechty, and Deryll Sprunger. Our class had two parties. The first was on February 10, in celebration of St. Valentine's Day; the last party was a farewell party for our classmate, Gerhart Muselman.

We started our Junior year with our number decreased, but we did not let this hinder us in our effort to make progress in our school life. The president we chose this year was Edward Eichenberger; vice president, Marjorie Habegger; Roy Schwartz, secretary, and Gyneth Schindler, treasurer.

To add to our experiences, we chose several members to be the cast in a play, "Laughing Irish Eyes," which we presented on October 20, 1939. Everyone enjoyed it immensely.

All of us are trying to be a better class, because we entertain the Seniors at the annual reception on May 10, and we are striving to make it the best of its kind.

OUR YESTERDAYS

A picture of real ambition, Howard Luginbill, and Waldo Stuckey . . . "Maestro" Burkhalter directing the orchestra . . . Making a tough physics test, Mr. Spurgeon? . . . Slug Schindler and Betty Graber out for a stroll . . . Confidentially, Kenyon Nussbaum is climbing for an angel . . . Edward Eichenberger dons the familiar hat . . . Well, if it isn't our Senior triplets, Elizabeth Sprunger, Dorothy Liechty, and Ruth Soldner . . . Why the faraway look, Phyllis? . . . Helen Habegger and Emma Jane Liechty discussing the latest . . . Here comes Maxine "my-heart-belongs-to-Butler" Moser . . . Maxine Neuenschwander and Floridea Sprunger rest a bit before afternoon classes.



SOPHOMORES



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

Left to Right—RONALD LEHMAN, *Pres.*; BETTY MAE HABBEGGER, *Sec.*; ARDUS SPRUNGER, *Vice Pres.*; HOWARD BAUMGARTNER, *Treas.*



CLASS OF 1942

Front Row—Ardythe Luginbill, Elsie Jane Stauffer, Betty Mae Habegger, Norma Liechty, Pauline Girod, Grace Sprunger, Vernelle Habegger, Harold Nussbaum, Bruce Sprunger, Berneta Liechty, Virginia Heller, Margaret Allspaw.

Second Row—Carmen Lehman, Helen Wittwer, Vera Lehman, Alice Mae Ellenberger, Arthus Gene Sprunger, Jeanette Reusser, Howard Kennel, Adrian Lehman, LaVerda Sprunger, Kathleen Beer, Bettie Marie Myers, Gerda Mazelin.

Back Row—Phyllis Sprunger, Waneta Stauffer, James Goodin, Raymond Mazelin, Norbert Nyffeler, Ronald Lehman, Billy Emick, Howard Baumgartner, Earl Habegger, Jacqueline Sprunger, Lois Lehman.

SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

In the fall of 1938, a new class of 36 Freshmen entered Berne High School. First, we had to overcome our timidity, adjust ourselves and when we learned that we really were a part of the high school, the class was organized. Our first officers were, Carmen Lehman, our president, assisted by Billy Emick, Arthus Gene Sprunger, and Howard Baumgartner. The high light of our Freshman year was a party held on March 10, 1939, at the school building. The St. Patrick's Day motif was carried out in the decorations. When our Freshman days were over, we were all a bit wiser, wisdom having been gained through our associations with the teachers and upper-classmen.

As Sophomores, our number was diminished by the loss of two members. Officers elected to pilot us through the year were Ronald Lehman, president, with Arthus Gene Sprunger, Betty Mae Habegger, and Howard Baumgartner serving as his assistants. The high school parties took the place of a class party this year.

We hope that the future high school days will bring as many happy memories as those that are gone.

OUR YESTERDAYS

Getting the rebounds . . . A familiar scene at Senior class play practice with Arvian and Helen Habegger in backstage roles . . . Flute playing, baton twirling, our specialty, Marie Schwartz and Marjorie Habegger . . . Famous Lehman pivot shot with Lehman, Schindler, and Habegger . . . Lehman and Schindler stretching for a high one . . . Ant's-eye view of Harold Lehman . . . Sophomore inseparables, Elsie Jane Stauffer and Jacqueline Sprunger . . . Miss Arnold taking life easy . . . Here's a neat couple for you, Howard Baumgartner and Phyllis Zehr . . . A smiling Senior trio, Florieda Sprunger, Evelyn Stucky and Clara Lehman . . . How about a bicycle ride?



FRESHMEN



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

Left to Right—LAVERNE GILLIOM, Sec.-Treas.; KATHRYN WULLIMAN, Vice Pres.; JOHN SPRUNGER, Pres.



CLASS OF 1943

(First row from left to right) Kenneth Wittwer, Wayne Sprunger, Gaylord Stuckey, John Eicher, Betty Alice Mettler, Vera Soldner, Larene Habegger, Joyce Smith, Betty Lou Parr, Kathryn Wulliman, Harry Luginbill, Robert Sullivan, LaVerne Gilliom, Vaughn Schindler.

(Second row) John Sprunger, Maxine Angle, Berdaline Gerig, Shirley Schug, June Stauffer, Charlotte Moser, Ruth Muselman, Rachel Eicher, Gareth Wiederkehr, Truman Gottschalk, Marion Schindler.

(Third row) Emma Lou Riesen, David Sprunger, Iona Beer, Isabel Schug, Vera Stucky, Roselyn Reynolds, Jean Nussbaum, Daniel Eichenberger, Robert Stengel, Benjamin Lehman, Billie Sprunger.

(Fourth row) James McCrory, Edmund Baumgartner, Richard Tallman, Richard Davidson, Marceline Brandt, Evelyn Wittwer, James Bixler, Gordon Hirschy, Chelsie Miller, Robert Schug, Calvin Schmid, Sylvan Zuercher.

FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

In September of 1939, we started our high school life, the first Freshman Class in the new school. For our class president we chose John Sprunger. His two hobbies are playing basketball and baseball. We elected Kathryn Wulliman to serve as our vice president. Her favorite pastime is playing the piano; her ambition is to be a stenographer.

Our secretary and treasurer is LaVerne Gilliom, commonly known as "Bow-tie." We are sure he will be a help to us in the future, because his ambition is to be a farmer.

We have had no class party, because the high school parties are its substitute.

All of us are striving to be a wiser and more educated class when this year is ended.

Vera Neuenschwander and Emma Jane Liechty, noted for mischief . . . Mr. Erne isn't quite as tough as he seems to be . . . Ambitious Slug concentration on a — library book . . . Mr. Spurgeon and Mr. Webb begin another day . . . No, they're not engaged—yet, Arvian and Helen Habegger . . . Junior "Romeos" are James Sprunger and Roy Schwartz . . . Get the idea? Claren, Slug, and Wa'do . . . Behold! "Hank" and "Gundy," custodians . . . Here's a trio of cuties for you, Phyllis Zehr, Maxine Moser, and Henrietta Bixler . . . "Red" LeFever and Fredrick Schug, a couple of hard-working "givernment" men . . . Three pals, Helen Habegger, Marjorie Gottschalk, and Carolyn Muselman . . . Looks like Cupid has been working overtime with Howard Luginbill and Gyneth Schindler.



JUNIOR HIGH

The all-important step before entering Senior High School—the seventh and eighth grades are practically a part of the high school. They share the second floor classrooms with the high school classes for most of their studies, and have practically the same teachers. Although we do frequently laugh at their expense, we get along very well.



GRADE EIGHT

(Row one left to right) Rolland Gilliom, Leland Sprunger, Stanley Girod, Merlin Stucky, Roger Flueckiger, Hilda Wulliman, Nadine Lehman, Marlene Townsend, Robert Liechty, Roman Beer, Thomas Sprunger, Roy Gilliom.

(Row two left to right) Warren Sprunger, Eleanor Kennel, Joan Lehman, Doris Nussbaum, Maynard Lehman, Richard Lehman, Mary Moser, Kathryn Heller, Robert Yoder, Calvin Beitler, Loren Nussbaum.

(Last row left to right) Howard Beitler, Harold Sprunger, Christeen Winteregg, Betty Stauffer, Hazel Nyffeler, Kenneth Liechty, Willis Fox, Ruby Reynolds, Opal Sprunger, Virgil Neuenschwander, Wayne Stuckey.



GRADE SEVEN

(Row one left to right) Phyllis Gottschalk, Merlin Habegger, Delbert Sprunger, Roy Gil-
liom, Roy Sprunger, DeVona Habegger, Jeanette Rawley, Imogene Schindler, Edison
Reynolds, Gerald Gerig, Elbert Stuckey.

(Row two left to right) Galen Fox, Sarabelle Beer, Polly Ann Timmons, Dwight Amstutz,
Frederick Lehman, Geraldine Gerig, John H. Sprunger, Charlotte Harsha, Glenna
Sprunger, Mathilda Liechty, Lillian Shoemaker.

(Last row left to right) Rosanna Sprunger, Mary Mazelin, Ida Zuercher, Berneda Leh-
man, Mary Ellen Sprunger, Doyle Winteregg, Jean Marie Kirchhofer, Marcile Sprung-
er, Lena Morand, Jeanne Schug.

OUR YESTERDAYS

"Flash" Lehman looks cold . . . Clarinet quartet, Ronnie, Harold, Howard, and Waldo . . . Jake Musser wheels a mean wheelbarrow . . . Roger Luginbill and Jake Musser look a bit sad . . . The "Star Spangled Banner" . . . Look! It's Bozo "Barney Oldfield" Liechty on his motor scoot . . . A group of future "Bears" . . . Phyllis, Henny, and Maggie go for a whirl . . . Mr. Burkhalter and two of his star pupils, Marie and Marjorie . . . March! High stepping batontwirlers and drum major, Marjorie, Eddie, and Marie . . . Research work by Slug, Waldo, Claren and Julia.



CLASSES

In the grades is laid the foundation of our entire education. If we are to build a strong character, we must have something firm upon which to build. To the grade teachers belongs the credit of giving us building material which is of the best and most lasting quality, that which is invaluable to us.



GRADE SIX

MARTHA SCHUG, Teacher

Row I—Jack Schug, James Burdge, Roger Amstutz, Burl Sprunger, Marilyn Kennel, Romaine Lehman, Mary Lou Fox, Lou Marie Smith, Miriam Wiederkehr, Marilyn Wiederkehr, Carl Muselman, Gerald Sprunger, Loren Liechty.

Row II—Robert Baumgartner, Robert Isch, John Zehr, Darline Bowman, Gloria Riesen, Shirley Myers, Patty Lou Reusser, Dolores Eckrote, Charles Abraham, Charles Eichenberger, Frederick Liechty.

Row III—Loren Sprunger, Cletus Gifford, Charles Nussbaum, DeWayne Felber, Pauline Michaud, Martha Schug, Teacher; Phyllis Wittwer, Catherine Musser, Robert Reynolds, Meredith Sprunger, Warren Habegger.

Row IV—Treva Habegger, Yvonne Reusser, Hugh Sprunger, LeRoy Neuenschwander, Stuart Lehman, Howard Ellenberger, Marjorie Moser, Eloise Soldner, Mary Gilliom.



GRADE FIVE

J. D. R. SCHWARTZ, Teacher

Row I—Bernadine L. Amstutz, Alverda D. Steiner, Rose Mary Beitler, Mona Sue Lantz, Barbara Ann Yoder, Evelyn J. Sprunger, Julia Ann Sprunger, Howard M. Girod, Robert T. Burley, Arthur E. Schwartz.

Row II—Samuel F. Sprunger, Warren S. Luginbill, Larry J. Lehman, Mildred E. Hartman, Flossie B. Beer, Colvin C. McWhirter, Jerry L. Stucky, Margaret A. Webb, Dorothy J. Rutledge, Roger T. Beitler.

Row III—Ireta K. Sommer, Alice R. Lehman, Coleen R. Schindler, Vera May Habegger, Mary Ellen Nussbaum, Mr. J. D. R. Schwartz, Teacher; Paul Lloyd Baumgartner, Max D. Habegger, John L. Smith, Howard T. Hirschy.



GRADE FOUR

HELEN ATZ, Teacher

(Top row from left to right) Richard Feasel, Frederick Stauffer, Roger Bixler, Robert Huffman, Raymond Lehman, James Shoemaker, Helen Atz, Teacher; Robert Wittwer, Duane Ellenberger, Larry Liechty, Charles McCrory.

(Second row) Walter Graber, Kent Sprunger, Shirley Harsha, Willodean Bollenbacher, Jane Kehr, Sally Bagley, Corabelle Schug, Ruth Ann Allspaw, Waneta Nussbaum, Arthur Mucelman, Bruce Liechty, David Schwartz.

(First row) Wallace Flueckiger, Chester Habegger, Conrad Nagel, Cosetta Steiner, Mary Wulliman, Pauline Gerber, Beverly Sprunger, Marilyn Smith, Elaine Gilliom, Valier Amstutz, Robert Schindler, Paul Canen.

Absent at time picture was taken, Loren Heare.



GRADE THREE

HILDA LEHMAN, Teacher

(Back row from left to right) David Nussbaum, Palmer Heare, Joann Sullivan, Claren Lehman, Sharon Allspaw, Hilda Lehman, Teacher; Joe Wittwer, Marvin Amstutz, Richard Hirschy, Jackson Lehman.

(Second row) Margie Tester, Alice Schug, Helen Mazelin, James Habegger, Thomas Zehr, Arlene Habegger, Glendon Sommer, Roselyn Liechty, Gene Amstutz, Robert Sauder, John Eichenberger.

(Front row) Areta Sprunger, Robert Liechty, Carol Sprunger, Donna Mae Sprunger, Delora Graber, Magdalene Lehman, Marjorie Rawley, Frederick Sprunger, Jerry Lehman, Derryl Lehman, Harry Eckrote, Claudette Nagel.



GRADE TWO

ROSE SPRUNGER, Teacher

(First row from left to right) Anna Schwartz, Arlene Schwartz, Alice Girod, Walter Mazeln, Duane Lehman, Ted Lehman, Cynthia Kirchhofer, Leland Winteregg, Deloris Liechty, Jimmy Gerber, Shirley Hirschy, Eugene Schindler, Sherry Habegger, Naomi Ann Wiederkehr, Logan Sprunger.

(Second row) Rebecca Mazelin, John Paul Burke, Janice Amstutz, Earline Bollenbacher, Judson Lehman, Colleen Lehman, Howard Habegger, Doyle Lehman, Richard Augsburg, Elsie Jane Lehman, Ronald Townsend, LaMar Winteregg, Elizabeth Haines.



GRADE ONE

JEANETTE SPRUNGER, Teacher

(First row from left to right) Charles Nagel, Janean Sprunger, Billie Stucky, Marlene Amstutz, John Howard Parr, Betty Habegger, Robert Gilliom, Kenyon Sprunger, Norma Jean Sweeney, Nancy Lehman, Richard Allspaw, Anita Kennel,

(Second row) Tommy Riesen, Carolyn Bixler, Jackie Nussbaum, Ruth Ann Welty, Arlene Balsiger, Keith Neuhauser, Millard Moser, Lena Nussbaum, Roderick Liechty, Roger Hirschy, Charlene Sommer, Mary Mae Chrisman.

LITERARY





(Sitting from left to right) Maxine Moser, Phyllis Zehr, Emma Jane Liechty, Edward Eichenberger.
(Standing) Gyneth Schindler, Howard Baumgartner, Jacob Musser, Ardythe Luginbill.

ALPHA OFFICERS

President, MAXINE MOSER
Vice President, PHYLLIS ZEHR
Secretary, EMMA JANE LLECHTY
Treasurer, EDWARD EICHENBERGER

Pianist, GYNETH SCHINDLER
Asst. Pianist, ARDYTHE LUGINBILL
Sergeant, JACOB MUSSER
Asst. Sergeant, HOWARD BAUMGARTNER

The Alphas chose a theme for the entire year. It was "Sell Your School." Four programs were given, the first one on November 3. The theme was "Mathematics." Discussions on how mathematics is used in the school, city, and home were given.

On December 1, the theme for the program was "Music." Several biographies were given and music in keeping with the talks were enjoyed.

"Science" was the theme for the third program given on January 12, 1940. The Alphas have many members who have musical talent. Several performed by giving solos on this program.

The fourth program was in the form of a day in a schoolroom and the theme was "English." The teacher was Edward Eichenberger and he had twenty-one pupils. Some of the pupils also performed by giving musical numbers.

Although the Alphas did not win this year, they presented many good programs, and the officers and the members worked hard.



(Sitting from left to right) Waldo Stuckey, Carolyn Muselman, Elizabeth Sprunger, Howard Luginbill.
(Standing) Evelyn Stucky, Harold Lehman, Ted Schindler, Ronald Lehman.

ARENA OFFICERS

President, HOWARD LUGINBILL
Vice President, ELIZABETH SPRUNGER
Secretary, CAROLYN MUSELMAN
Treasurer, WALDO STUCKEY

Pianist, RONALD LEHMAN
Asst. Pianist, EVELYN STUCKY
Sergeant, TED SCHINDLER
Asst. Sergeant, HAROLD LEHMAN

A great deal of enthusiasm and rivalry between the societies was shown this year. The programs were given in our new gymnasium.

Four programs were given during the year, the first one on November 17. The theme chosen was "National Book Week" and the program was in the form of a book club meeting.

On December 15, an interesting Christmas program was given. The theme "Christmas Carols" was carried out by having the stories of the songs told and then having them sung or played.

The third program had as its theme "The Month of January." The biographies of men who were born in January were given and music in keeping with it.

The annual Arena Music Convention was held in our last program. The theme "Music Around the World" was carried out by having music rendered composed by musicians of different nationalities.

With the support of the members and the hard work of the officers the Arenas were again victorious.

HISTORY OF THE LITERARY SOCIETIES

The Alpha and Arena literary societies of the Berne High School were organized at the beginning of the school year of 1904-1905. This was done at the suggestion of R. J. D. Walters, who was then principal of the high school. The high school students, together with the seventh and eighth grades, were chosen by the Misses Caroline Hirschy and Flora Neaderhouser. Both groups immediately assembled to select officers, names, mottoes, colors, etc. The division under Miss Hirschy named themselves the Alpha Society, chose as their motto: "Strive to Excel," and as colors, Purple and Lavender. The other group became the Arena Society, their motto, "Excelsior," and their colors, Buff and Blue. Both societies drew up constitutions and each had about thirty-five members. The first Alpha president was Cora Schug, now Mrs. C. V. Millikan; and Thella Broughton, now Mrs. Vilas Haecker, was the first president of the Arenas.

At the present time there are approximately sixty-five members in each society. The members are chosen by the officers of each society by drawing the names of the new high school students, always keeping the number in both societies equal.

The programs were first given in the assembly room of the old school. After the auditorium was built, the programs were rendered there. Now the societies perform in the gymnasium of the new school building. The programs of a necessity deal more with talks and music, as there is no stage upon which to present plays.

For several years annual contests were held. However, the feeling ran too high so they were discontinued. During the four years the present seniors were in school, the Alphas have won the loving cup presented by the Alumni Association one time and the Arenas have won it three times. The Arenas won this year by an average of 92.818 over the Alphas' average of 91.187.

These societies were organized for the advancement of the intellectual welfare and literary talents, and this thought is still carried out in the present societies.



"ANNE OF GREEN GABLES"

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Anne Shirley, an orphan, our adorable young heroine	PHYLLIS ZEHR
Florence Remsen, Superintendent of The Hopeton Orphanage.....	JULIA SCHMID
Minnie Stearn, an attendant at the orphanage.....	FLORIEDA SPRUNGER
Mrs. Alexander Spencer, who has a difficult time talking.....	VERA NEUENSCHWANDER
Matthew Cuthbert, Anne's champion and a "kindred spirit".....	KENYON NUSSBAUM
Marilla Cuthbert, his sister, who refuses to thaw out.....	EVELYN STUCKY
Mrs. Rachel Lynde, who loves to give advice.....	MAXINE NEUENSCHWANDER
Mrs. Barry, a wealthy matron	ELIZABETH SPRUNGER
Diana Barry, her daughter, who becomes Anne's bosom friend.....	CAROLYN MUSELMAN
Mrs. Allan, the new minister's charming wife.....	RUTH SOLDNER
Josie Pye, in Anne's class at school.....	EMMA JANE LIECHTY
Moody Spurgeon, another schoolmate.....	ARVIAN HABEGGER
Gilbert Blythe, the wealthiest boy in town.....	HOWARD LUGINBILL
Ira Mills, a wealthy business man.....	HAROLD LEHMAN

Director - - - JUNE FOGELSONGER

On the evening of April 9, the Senior class presented a modern dramatization of L. M. Montgomery's most popular novel, "Anne of Green Gables."

The story takes place at Green Gables, the home of lovable Matthew Cuthbert and his stern sister, Marilla Cuthbert. Marilla has never been known to thaw out. Nobody suspects that beneath her hard exterior there lurks a soft and tender heart. When Matthew, after a great deal of reflection, finally decides to adopt an orphan boy to help with his farm work, Marilla grudgingly consents.

Through a rattlebrained friend of theirs, one Nancy Spencer, they agree to take a boy from the Hopeton Orphanage. Marilla makes ready to receive the boy and Matthew

drives to the station to get him. Fancy his consternation when he finds little Anne Shirley waiting for him!

There has been a mistake and Anne has been sent to Green Gables in lieu of the boy whom the Cuthberts plan to adopt. There is nothing to do but to take Anne home and let her stay, at least over night. But from the instant Anne and Matthew meet, a strong attachment grows up between the little orphan and the man who has been starving for affection without realizing it. Anne, with her vivid imagination, her charitable viewpoint, her refreshing simplicity, touches the old bachelor's heart. But not so with Marilla. She determines to send Anne back to the orphanage the following day. But she reckons without Anne, who is so enchanted by everything at Green Gables and who cries and begs and pleads so hard to remain that even Marilla "Just to please Matthew, of course," finally gives in and consents.

The comedy that ensues through Anne's many unfortunate mistakes caused by her all too vivid imagination, her loyalty to Matthew and Marilla, her attachment for her bosom friend, Diana Barry, her feud with Gilbert Blythe, the wealthiest boy in town, the episode of Marilla's old amethyst brooch and many more heart-warming incidents are finely woven into the play.

The performance was delightful and a large crowd turned out to see the comedy enacted.

"LAUGHING IRISH EYES"

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mrs. Della Oberon, a wealthy matron.....	MARJORIE HABEGGER
Marguerite Oberon, her daughter.....	VERA NUSSBAUM
Myron Oberon, her son.....	DERYLL SPRUNGER
Mrs. Maggie Shannon, her housekeeper.....	VERA BALSIGER
Molly Shannon, Maggie's daughter.....	GYNETH SCHINDLER
Tom McFadden, Molly's fiance.....	EDWARD EICHENBERGER
Dolores Dawn, a young prima donna.....	LUCILLE SPRUNGER
Harry Ryan, a young ne'er-do-well.....	PALMER LJECHTY
Annie Rooney, a maid.....	PATRICIA SPRUNGER
Danny McGuire, a chauffeur.....	ROGER LUGINBILL

The story is about adoring Mollie Shannon who comes into the home of the hard-hearted and aristocratic Mrs. Oberon to work as a housemaid. Molly's mother is already employed there, so Molly takes the job under the name of Molly St. Clair. Maggie Shannon is suspicious of her daughter's ruse, for at the same time a new chauffeur arrives in the person of Tom McFadden, Molly's fiance. One interesting and mystifying situation after another kept the audience in suspense throughout the three acts. Through the efforts of Molly and Tom, Mrs. Oberon's daughter, Marguerite, is saved from what would have been a disastrous marriage to an unworthy young man; Myron, the son, is saved from the clutches of the fortune-seeking prima donna, Dolores Dawn; and happiness is brought to the Oberon, nee O'Brien, household.

This entertaining comedy in Irish dialect was given at the Community Auditorium on October 20, 1939, by the Junior Class. The crowd enjoyed the play very much.

MUSIC



DRUM MAJOR AND TWIRLERS

Left to Right—MARJORIE HABEGGER, Twirler; EDWARD EICHENBERGER, Drum Major; MARIE SCHWARTZ, Twirler.

HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA



PERSONNEL OF BERNE HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA 1939-40

FIRST VIOLINS

Carolyn Muselman
Gyneth Schindler
Lucille Sprunger
Vera Balsiger
Maxine Neuen-
schwander
Vera Neuenschwander
Ardythe Luginbill
Vera Soldner
Florieda Sprunger
Virginia Nussbaum
Margaret Allspaw
Pauline Girod
Elsie Jane Stauffer
Phyllis Sprunger
Virginia Heller

SECOND VIOLINS

Iona Beer
Charlotte Moser

MARCELINE BRANDT

Isabel Schug
Billie Sprunger
Richard Davidson
Stuart Lehman
Chelsie Miller
Rosanna Sprunger
Sarabelle Beer

VIOLAS

Jacqueline Sprunger
Betty Alice Mettler
Ruth Muselman

CELLOS

Kathleen Beer
Christeen Winteregg
Eleanor Kennel
Esther Habegger

STRING BASS

Phyllis Zehr
Emma Lou Riesen

FLUTES

Ruth Soldner
Marie Schwartz
Marjorie Habegger

OBOE

Opal Sprunger

CLARINETS

Waldo Stuckey
Howard Luginbill
Deryll Sprunger
Harold Lehman

BASSOON

Kenyon Nussbaum

FRENCH HORNS

Betty Graber
Vera Nussbaum

CORNETS

Howard Baumgartner
Howard Neuen-
schwander
Harriet Sprunger

TROMBONES

Norbert Nyffeler
Glenn Habegger

DRUMS

Donald Lehman
Edmund Baumgartner
James Goodin

PIANO

Julia Schmid

BERNE HIGH SCHOOL BAND



PERSONNEL OF BERNE HIGH SCHOOL BAND 1939-40

CLARINETS

Ronald Lehman
Harold Lehman
Gyneth Schindler
Waldo Stuckey
Phyllis Zehr
Howard Luginbill
Deryll Sprunger
Jeanette Sprunger
Grace Sprunger
Lois Lehman
Ardus Sprunger
Richard Tallman
Sylvan Zuercher
Wayne Sprunger
John Sprunger

FLUTES

Ruth Soldner
Marie Schwartz
Pauline Girod

PICCOLO

Marjorie Habegger

OBOE

Opal Sprunger

BASSOON

Kenyon Nussbaum

ALTO SAXOPHONES

Joan Lehman
Vera Lehman

TENOR SAXOPHONES

Maxine Moser
Jacqueline Sprunger

FRENCH HORNS

Betty Graber
Vera Nussbaum

MELLOPHONES

Elizabeth Hirschy
Kathryn Anna
Wulliman

BARITONES

Elizabeth Sprunger
Carmen Lehman
Jeanette Amstutz

CORNETS

Howard Baumgartner
Howard Neuen-
schwander
Harriet Sprunger
Berdaline Gerig
Vivian Gottschalk
Patsy Sprunger
Stanley Girod
Truman Gottschalk
Joyce Smith

TROMBONES

Norbert Nyffeler
Lucille Sprunger
Glenn Habegger
Harold Sprunger
Gerald Gerig

SOUSAPHONES

Edward Eichenberger,
Jr.
James Bixler

DRUMS AND PERCUSSION

Donald Lehman
Edmund Baumgartner
James Goodin
Charlotte Moser

A CAP- PELLA



(First row from left to right) Betty Graher, Phyllis Zehr, Carolyn Muselman, Evelyn Stucky, Gyneth Schindler, Marjorie Habegger, Julia Schmid, Ruth Soldner, Elizabeth Sprunger, Patsy Sprunger, Esther Habegger.
 (Second row) Marie Schwarz, Vera Neuenschwander, Maxine Neuenschwander, Maxine Moser, Emma Jane Liechty, Virginia Nussbaum, Vera Balsiger, Vera Nussbaum, Dorothy Liechty, Helen Habegger.
 (Third row) Howard Neuenschwander, Harold Nussbaum, Truman Gottschalk, Howard Luginbill, James Sprunger, Kenyon Nussbaum, Arvian Habegger, Roy Schwartz.
 (Fourth row) Deryll Sprunger, Howard Baumgartner, Edward Eichenberger, Junior Burry, Harold Lehman, Waldo Stuckey, Glenn Habegger, Palmer Liechty.



BOYS' GLEE CLUB

(First row from left to right) Harry Luginbill, LaVerne Gilliom, Wayne Sprunger, Gareth Wiederkehr, Ardythe Luginbill, Pianist; John Sprunger, John Eicher, Kenneth Wittwer, James McCrory, Billie Sprunger.
 (Second row) Vaughn Schindler, Bobby Stengel, Calvin Schmid, David Sprunger, Chelsie Miller, Truman Gottschalk, Bruce Sprunger, Howard Neuenschwander, Harold Nussbaum.
 (Third row) Marion Schindler, Arvian Habegger, Kenyon Nussbaum, Richard Tallman, Gordon Hirschy, Adrian Lehman, James Sprunger, Howard Kennel, Roy Schwartz.
 (Fourth row) Palmer Liechty, Howard Luginbill, Glenn Habegger, Norbert Nyffeler, Edward Eichenberger, Junior Burry, Waldo Stuckey, Howard Baumgartner, Earl Habegger, Deryll Sprunger.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB



Row I, left to right—Norma Liechty, Elsie Jane Stauffer, Margaret Allspaw, Betty Mae Habegger, Ardythe Luginbill, Betty Graber, Lucille Sprunger, June Stauffer, LaVerda Sprunger, Virginia Heller, Grace Sprunger, Betty Alice Mettler, Kathryn Wulliman, Rachel Eicher, Ruth Muselman.

Row II—Alice Mae Ellenberger, Helen Wittwer, Vera Lehman, Berdaline Gerig, Vera Stucky, Charlotte Moser, Jean Nussbaum, Berneta Liechty, Bettie Myers, Kathleen Beer, Jeanette Sprunger, Maxine Beavers, Larene Habegger, Vera Soldner, Clara Lehman.

Row III—Pauline Girod, Henrietta Bixler, Patsy Sprunger, Marie Schwartz, Ruth Soldner, Helen Habegger, Lois Lehman, Joyce Smith, Betty Lou Parr, Vera Nussbaum, Marjorie Habegger, Gyneth Schindler, Carmen Lehman, Esther Habegger, Elizabeth Hirschy.

Row IV—Phyllis Sprunger, Arduis G. Sprunger, Maxine Moser, Emma Jane Liechty, Vera Neuenschwander, Isabel Schug, Iona Beer, Virginia Nussbaum, Florinda Sprunger, Marceline Brandt, Vernelle Habegger, Emma Lou Riesen, Waneta Stauffer, Jacqueline Sprunger, Madonna Liechty.

GLEE CLUBS AND A CAPPELLA

This year's Girls' Glee Club has been a very successful one under the able direction of Mr. Freeman Burkhalter. Sixty-three girls have enrolled this year. The rehearsals were held every Tuesday and Wednesday morning. The Glee Club appeared on several different occasions, including January 10, Union Meeting at the Mennonite church; January 18, High School Music Festival; April 2, Music Festival; May 7, at The Ball State Music Festival.

The Boys' Glee Club is not nearly so large as the Girls' Glee Club. Thirty-eight boys enrolled, nineteen of whom are Freshmen. Rehearsals were held once a week on Monday mornings. This club made no public appearances because there were so many new voices. However with so many Freshman boys enrolled there are prospects for having a good Boys' Glee Club in the years to come.

The A Cappella Choir, composed of thirty-eight students, has been a very good one. Rehearsals were held twice a week, on Thursday and Friday mornings. Every two years

this organization presents an Operetta. "In Old Vienna" was the operetta presented last year. The operetta was greatly enjoyed, and the A Cappella Choir is looking forward to presenting another one next year. The public appearances made by this organization were, January 9, Union Meeting at the Mennonite Church; January 18, High School Music Festival; March 22, at the Good Friday service; April 2, at the Music Festival; May 7, at the Muncie Ball State Music Festival.

INSTRUMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

The Berne Schools have four instrumental organizations: the High School Band, Intermediate Band, Beginners' Orchestra, and the Advanced Orchestra. The Intermediate Band and the Beginners' Orchestra, which train young musicians to play in the High School Band and Advanced Orchestra, practice once every week. The High School Band practices twice a week. The Advanced Orchestra practices four fifty-five minute periods each week.

The past several years have been very successful ones for the Band and Orchestra. Last year the Band and Orchestra both won first division Class C honors in the District Contest at Columbia City. Seventeen Class C bands and three orchestras took part in this contest. In the State Contest at Goshen both organizations won Class C second division honors. Twelve bands and three orchestras participated in the Class C contest. In the National Orchestra Contest at Indianapolis our Orchestra received third division honors. Eighteen orchestras took part. No national contest was held for the band.

Several students of Berne High School also participated in the Solo and Ensemble Contests. Donald Lehman won first division honors in the National Contest for his excellent drumming. A woodwind quintet also received high honors.

This year's District Solo and Ensemble Contest was held in Berne on March 30. About seven hundred fifty pupils from this district participated. We are very proud of the students from Berne who took part—those who were placed in first division were Howard Baumgartner, cornet solo; Julia Schmid and Elsie Jane Stauffer, piano solos; and a flute quartet and clarinet quartet.

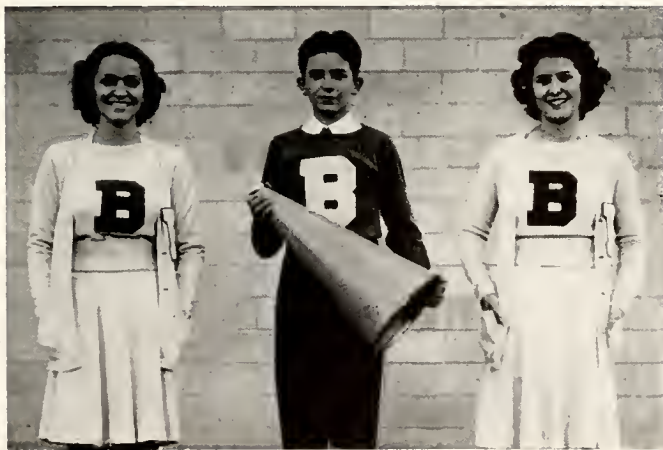
In the State Solo and Ensemble Contest, held at Elkhart on April 6, the flute quartet again was placed in first division, the two piano soloists received first division honors, and others from Berne also received high honors.

The District Band and Orchestra Contest will be held at Huntington on April 20. The State Contest will be held at Whiting on May 4, and the National Band, Solo, and Ensemble Contests at Battlecreek, Michigan, on May 16-18. We are hoping to win first division honors in these several contests.

On January 18, the first musical concert was held. In spite of the fact that the thermometer registered 12° below zero, a generous-sized crowd turned out to hear the program.

The second concert was given on April 2. The Band, Orchestra, A Cappella, and Girls' Glee Club appeared at this concert.

ATHLETICS



CHEER LEADERS

Left to Right—HENRIETTA BIXLER, DERYLL SPRUNGER,
MARIE SCHWARTZ.



(Back row left to right) Coach Erne, Mgr. Schindler, Schwartz, Emick, Liechty, McKean, D. Lehman, Asst. Mgr. Bixler, and Supt. Webb.
 (Front row left to right) Baumgartner, Burry, H. Lehman, Capt. Neuenschwander, Schindler, Stuckey and Habegger.

BERNE BEARS BASKETBALL TEAM

The school year of 1939-40 proved quite a successful one for our athletics. Coach Erne, who has for nine years been developing fine basketball and baseball teams for Berne High School, again placed a team on the floor that showed competent coaching and skill. With a nucleus of seven lettermen back from the preceding year, Berne High looked forward to a splendid season. The five Seniors, Neuenschwander, Schindler, Lehman, Stuckey, and Burry, carried a great share of the burden, but the team was sparked by two Sophomores, Habegger and Baumgartner, who did their share in helping the Bears win their victories.

The team won 15 games and lost 7 for their season's record excluding the sectional tourney where the favored team defeated Decatur in the first round, but were defeated by a red hot Pleasant Mills team in the semi-finals.

Playing mostly schools of much larger enrollment, some outstanding games were the Emerson of Gary, Garrett, the two Decatur games, Central and Central Catholic of Fort Wayne.

The Bears displayed a fine brand of basketball, but their defeats came mostly because of a lack of self-confidence.

BASKETBALL RECORD FOR SEASON

Berne 44	Hartford 11	Berne 23	Huntington 42
Berne 37	Monroe 15	Berne 40	Central Catholic 45
Berne 31	Geneva 26	Berne 36	New Haven 23
Berne 28	New Haven 24	Berne 37	Rockcreek 32
Berne 35	Redkey 20	Berne 36	Warren 28
Berne 33	Union City 43	Berne 41	Kirkland 26
Berne 29	Portland 21	Berne 27	Bluffton 26
Berne 32	Decatur 28	Berne 40	Emerson of Gary 43
Berne 45	Dunkirk 22	Berne 40	Central of Fort Wayne 58
Berne 27	Garrett 26	Berne 38	Decatur 39

BLIND TOURNEY

Berne 33	Bluffton 19
Berne 26	Hartford City 30

SECTIONAL TOURNEY

Berne 26	Decatur 24
Berne 24	Pleasant Mills 38

CUBS



Sitting left to right—John Sprunger, Donald Lehman, Billy Emick, Lynn Liechty, Robert McKean, Roy Schwartz.

Standing—Harry Luginbill, James McCrory, James Goodin, Jacob Musser, Gaylord Stuckey, Jim Bixler, Student Mgr.

COACH ERNE—"Pop" deserves much of the credit for the fine basketball and baseball teams which have been representing Berne High School for the past nine seasons. During this time he has coached Berne High through exceptionally successful seasons, including two sectional championships and one regional championship which took Berne to the State tourney. Not only is he our loved and respected athletic coach but also a friend to everyone.

CLARENCE SCHINDLER—"Slug," a fine, efficient manager, who could take it. His assistance in taking care of equipment and players' needs will not be forgotten. He did much to keep the team in good spirits and to promote team harmony.

CLAREN NEUENSCHWANDER—"Clarie," the Captain of the Bears. He has played three years on the varsity, being a consistent scorer and a very fine defensive man. He has a tough one-handed shot that proved a thorn in the side of many of his opponents. His leadership and never dying spirit were a great asset to the team.

JUNIOR BURRY—"Spud" in his last two years in High School developed into one of the best basketball players ever turned out of Berne High. He led the team in scoring, having a clever left-handed shot which was hard to cover. He was also a power on defense and gave all he had to develop team play and win victories for his school. J. E.

TED SCHINDLER—"Blackie," the tallest man on the team, during this past year became a stalwart part of the team. He played a fine offensive game making baskets at a time to spark the team to victory. His quick thinking and size proved valuable in rebound work. His overhead set shot was a threat to draw the defense out so that the team could score under the basket. The coach, players, and fans will never forget this fine, scrapper ball player.

WALDO STUCKEY—"Walt," the defensive star of the team. His ability to cover the best of his opponents and hold them to low scores proved to be very valuable in winning many games. His ability to recover the ball from the backboard gave the Bears possession of the ball many times. "Walt" was a team player and great passer which helped the other players to get the points often. He scored at a time when points were the balance of the victory.

HAROLD LEHMAN—"Flash," the tall rangy center of our team and the spark plug who always kept the team on their toes. He was a consistent scorer on pivot shots, and did excellent work on recovering shots. His team play and cooperation were valuable assets. He has played on the varsity for three years, and his uncanny shots and unquenching spirit have helped to bring many victories home.

EARL HABEGGER—"Hobby," the Sophomore who was the surprise of the season. A fast breaking game was his first love. He proved a good scorer and a very fine defensive man. His great asset was speed and ability to get away from his opponent. He is a fine team player, an aggressive ball player, one who lives to play basketball. A great future is in store for "Hobby" if he works hard.

HOWARD BAUMGARTNER—"Howdy," a Sophomore who became one of the mainstays of the Bears. He was a clever scorer, fine passer, and a real scrapper. He played as a regular a large part of the season and did splendid work. "Howdy" earned a varsity letter in his Freshman year and with two years of experience behind him, he should be the mainstay of the Bears next year.

LYNN LIECHTY—"Gabby," a Junior who did much several times during the season when the regular line-up was broken up because of injuries. His fade-away pivot shot and clever passing proved very valuable. His fight and pep did much to drive the other players to victory.

The Berne High Cubs were quite successful, winning over 50% of their games. All the players were used as much as possible to develop them for the future. Prospects for the next year or two look good and with the experience they garnered this year they should make a good ball club next year.

JAMES BIXLER—Cub manager, will take over the varsity manager's job next year. A jolly good fellow, who does his work well.

ROY SCHWARTZ—Fast, clever, diminutive guard on the second team. His long shots will long be remembered. He's a comer.

BILLY EMICK—The "thin man" of the second team. It was his clever left-handed pivot shot, and set long shots that did much to add to the success of the Cubs.

ROBERT McKEAN—"Speck." A scrappy, clever, young ball player who should shine next year as a regular for the Bears.

DONALD LEHMAN—Although inexperienced, in his first year on the squad, he developed into a good defensive man.

JOHN SPRUNGER—Only a Freshman, but the "spark plug" of the Cubs, is a good scorer, a fast and clever ball player. Watch him next year.

JAKE MUSSER—A good pivot man, tall and always trying. His ability kept the Cubs in the ball game many a time when it looked like defeat.

GAYLORD STUCKEY—Freshman and another fine ball player. Looked good when playing for the Cubs. You'll see him star in the future.

JAMES GOODIN—Sophomore and a tall, rangy player, good passer, and good on defense, played quite a bit for the Cubs as guard.

HARRY LUGINBILL—Freshman and the smallest man on the squad, is fast and clever and a good shot. The darling of the fans!

WAYNE SPRUNGER—Freshman and a very fine prospect. He didn't get to play much but began to develop quickly at the end of the season.

JAMES McCRORY—Freshman and another boy who should make good with a year or two of experience. A good long shot and clever passer who had plenty of scrap.

BASEBALL



Row I, left to right—Claren Neuenschwander, Howard Baumgartner, Junior Burry, Waldo Stuckey, Howard Luginbill, Lynn Liechty.

Row II—Roy Schwartz, Ronald Lehman, Earl Habegger, Raymond Mazelin, Billy Emick.

Back Row—Clarence Schindler, Mgr., Gaylord Stuckey, LaVerne Gilliom, James Goodin, Ned Riesen, Wayne Sprunger, John Sprunger, James Bixler, Asst. Mgr.

The baseball season turned out to be very successful, with the Bears winning practically all of their games. With a new athletic field to give the Bears a greater desire to make a success of the season, they went into it with a lot of confidence. Games were played with Hartford City, Bluffton, Decatur, Portland, Winchester, Bryant and Wren, O.

The team was composed of "Howdy" Baumgartner, catcher, a good backstop with a good arm for throwing the ball to every base. Those who shared the pitching were "Clarie" Neuenschwander, Waldo Stuckey, and Junior Burry. Each did his share in winning victories for Berne High, these three boys also rotating on 1st and 3rd bases when they were not on the mound, and playing a fine brand of ball. Lynn Liechty held down the keystone bag in grand style while "Howdy" Luginbill, a Senior and one of the best infielders Berne has ever had, was the shortstop. The boys who roamed about in the outfield were Habegger, Emick, Schwartz, R. Lehman, and Goodin and the playing was divided among the ball players. Other good prospects are Gaylord Stuckey, John Sprunger and Raymond Mazelin. Although there are four regulars graduating this year, the Bears are expected to have a great ball club next year.

SCHOOL

- Sept. 4. Labor Day. Beginning of more "labor days" for the studios.
- Sept. 5. School begins in new building.
- Sept. 12. Seniors are still trying to educate "green" Freshmen in the strenuous ways of High School life.
- Sept. 21. Old Man Sun succeeds in unpleasantly warming up the study hall.
- Oct. 15. Mr. Spurgeon begins reminding Seniors of the set of rules from the office on behavior.
- Oct. 18. Report cards. Much disappointment over grades.
- Oct. 19. Mr. Burkhalter tries the "bawling out" method of keeping order in orchestra.
- Oct. 20. Junior Class presents "Laughing Irish Eyes."
- Oct. 26 and 27. Teachers' Association.
- Oct. 31. High School Hallowe'en "tramp" party. Mr. Spurgeon who was "master of ceremonies" received a telegram from Paul Whitman to join his orchestra. Mr. Spurgeon felt much too advanced to join this organization!
- Nov. 3. First Alpha program.
- Nov. 10. Game with Monroe here.
- Nov. 17. First Arena program.
- Nov. 23 and 24. Thanksgiving Vacation.
- Nov. 29. Report cards. Everyone amused but slightly aggravated at marks.
- Dec. 1. Alpha program.
- Dec. 4. Mr. Spurgeon instructs Clarence to write the following on the blackboard in the Senior room after he was caught "chawing" gum. "Anyone caught chewing gum in this room will receive three smacks with the paddle or remain one-half hour after school."
- Dec. 7. Mary Alyce misses the chair in Home Ec. because of the waxed floor.
- Dec. 15. Arena program.
- Dec. 17. Seniors begin their mock Democratic Convention under the direction of Mr. Erne.
- Dec. 18. Dedication of new building.
- Dec. 21. Senior Democratic Convention closes with Champ Clark nominated for President and Cordell Hull for Vice President.
- Dec. 22. Christmas Vacation begins.
- Jan. 1. Blind Tourney.
- Jan. 2. Christmas Vacation ends, finding students trying to get minds back on lessons.
- Jan. 12. Alpha program. First semester ends.

CALENDAR

- Jan. 15. Mr. Spurgeon denies the Seniors the privilege of whispering between bells. If they do Mr. Spurgeon keeps them after school for 15 minutes to make up for lost time.
- Jan. 17. Mr. Erne again "preaches" to the giggly Junior class.
- Jan. 18. High School Music Concert in High School Gym.
- Jan. 26. Arena program.
- Jan. 29. Ghost basketball game in gym.
- Feb. 9. Alpha program.
- Feb. 12. High School Valentine party.
- Feb. 13. Mr. Erne gives another "sermonette" to the Junior class.
- Feb. 20. Carl Bolander, artist, speaks to the High School.
- Feb. 23. Arena program.
- Feb. 28. Report cards again.
- Feb. 29. Mr. Erne gives leap year advice to Seniors.
- Mar. 1. Sectional tournament.
- Mar. 4. Band and Orchestra have pictures taken.
- Mar. 11. Play practice starts for first act of "Anne of Green Gables."
- Mar. 19. Grades and Jr. High take their try at "breaking the camera."
- Mar. 21. Today the photographer shot some more films on the Glee Clubs and A Cappella Choir.
- Mar. 22. A day of vacation—Good Friday.
- Mar. 26. Alumni cup awarded to the winners—The Arena Society.
- Mar. 28. Where do all the tacks come from? Quite a number have been getting the point.
- Mar. 30. District Solo and Ensemble Contest.
- Apr. 1. April Fool's Day. Teachers have all been very cautious.
- Apr. 2. High School Music Festival.
- Apr. 9. Senior "Gables and Garbos" present "Anne of Green Gables" to packed Auditorium.
- Apr. 12. Old Man Winter puts in reappearance—so do winter clothes.
- Apr. 20. District Band and Orchestra Contest at Huntington.
- May 4. State Band and Orchestra Contest.
- May 7. Ball State Music Festival.
- May 10. Junior-Senior Reception.
- May 17. Alumni Banquet.
- May 19. Baccalaureate Service, Rev. C. A. Schmid, speaker.
- May 20. Commencement Exercises. Address by C. Walters, Indianapolis, Ind.



Sitting—left to right: Carolyn Muselman, Florieda Sprunger, Dorothy Liechty, Evelyn Stucky.

Standing—Kenyon Nussbaum, Junior Burry, Phyllis Zehr, Harold Lehman, Howard Luginbill, Ted Schindler, Elizabeth Sprunger, Waldo Stuckey, Claren Neuenschwander.

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ALUMNI DIRECTORY

It is probable that this list of Alumni contains some errors, but it represents our best efforts in securing the address of each graduate, and any mistakes are unintentional.

1901

Martha Schug, Berne, Ind.
Amanda Soldner Yager, West Unity, Ohio

1902

Nora Smith Bixler, Decatur, Ind.
Ada Wittwer Hilty, Fort Wayne, Ind.

1903

Wilda Gottschalk (Shalley) Hartman, Indianapolis, Ind.
Rose Lehman Baumgartner, Berne, Ind.
Cora Hocker Adler, Denver, Colorado
Salome Schug, Berne, Ind.

1904

Albert Soldner, Columbus, Ohio
G. Adolph Lehman, Rochester, N. Y.
Asa Sprunger, Decatur, Ill.
Oswald Sprunger, Berne, Ind.

1905

Thella Broughton Haecker, Berne, Ind.
Caroline Hirsch, Berne, Ind.
Robert Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Floyd Ayres, Brunswick, Ohio
Flora Neaderhouser, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Eva Erhart, Los Angeles, Calif.
Laura Bixler Rinder, Hastings, Nebr.
Cora Schug Millikan, Berne, Ind.

1906

Inda Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Clara Schug Hirsch, Berne, Ind.
Herbert Lachot, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Bertha Wheeler Craner—Deceased

1907

Emma Bixler Smith, Berne, Ind.
A. Clayton Smith, Berne, Ind.
Tilman Soldner, Berne, Ind.
Noah Gilliom, Long Island, N. Y.
George Wittwer, Chappaqua, N. Y.
Bessie Sprunger Neuenschwander, Quakertown, Pa.

1908

No graduates as the course was changed from three to four years.

1909

Earl Schaeffer—Deceased
Gertrude Lehman Albrecht, Columbia, Mo.
Albert Winteregg, Berne, Ind.
Henry Egly, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Clinton Lehman, Villa Park, Ill.

1910

Martha Burkhalter, Janjgir, C. P., India
Dora Hirsch Winteregg, Berne, Ind.
Wildas Soldner, Van Wert, Ohio
Dorcas Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Carl T. Habegger, Berne, Ind.
Martha Baumgartner Habegger, Berne, Ind.
Minnie Sprunger Schwartz—Deceased
Hugo Beitler, Berne, Ind.
Jessie Stauffer Glendenning, Geneva, Ind.
Mae Hocker Lehman, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Orva Smith, Berne, Ind.
Rufus Von Gunten, Berne, Ind.
Mae Stauffer Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Carl H. Sprunger, Mitchell, South Dakota

1911

Wesley R. Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Enos D. Lehman, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Hilda Reusser Dester, Basna, C. P., India
Katherine Egly Tyndall, Decatur, Ind.
Osie Beitler Eichenberger, Berne, Ind.
Alice Rinaker Gilliom—Deceased
Hulda Gilliom Stauffer, Berne, Ind.
Eva F. Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Andrew J. Neuenschwander, Quakertown, Pa.
Frieda Sprunger Boehr, Richlandtown, Pa.
Wilbur H. Lehman, Columbus, Ohio
Grover Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Ellis Sprunger, Berkeley, Calif.

1912

Adina Gilliom Gerber, Berne, Ind.
Alfred Habegger, Busby, Montana
Grover T. Soldner, Bluffton, Ohio
Barbara Hirsch Habegger, Busby, Montana
Clifton H. Sprunger, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Christine Habegger Leiper, Blauvelt, N. Y.
Lydia Sprunger McCreary, Battle Creek, Michigan
Herman Baumgartner, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Ernest Stengel, Berne, Ind.
Jesse Habegger—Deceased
Esther Bixler Winteregg, Berne, Ind.
Clifton Striker, Berne, Ind.
Gertrude Hirsch Beitler, Berne, Ind.
True Gottschalk—Deceased
Clarence O. Lehman, Geneseo, N. Y.
Elma Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Ezra Wanner, Geneva, Ind.
Martin L. Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Arman Hirsch, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Edna Sprunger Muselman, Berne, Ind.
Fannie Schindler, Boma, Congo Belge, W. C. Africa
Victor Eichenberger, Berne, Ind.
Mary Burkhalter Sprunger, Berne, Ind.

1913

Frieda Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Leslie Baumgartner, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Anna Hofstetter Fransden, San Francisco, Calif.
David Depp, Madison, Ind.
Melvin Hirsch, Geneva, Ind.
Rena Sprunger Zuercher, Bluffton, Ohio
Vilas Schindler, Berne, Ind.
Harry Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Ella Sprunger Sprunger, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Walter Hirsch—Deceased
Mary Ann Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Loretta Lehman Blackwood, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Reuben Liechty, Montpelier, Ind.
Arthur Wittwer, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Hilda Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Noah Burkhalter—Deceased

1914

Clella Brickley Gottschalk, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Cora Beitler (Habegger) Neuenschwander, Berne, Ind.
Eldon Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Bernice Ray Lozier, West Warwick, Rhode Is.
Elma Neaderhouser, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Louise Habegger Eichenberger, Berne, Ind.
Metta Habegger Moyer, Janjgir, C. P., India
Elfrieda Franz Howe, Bluffton, Ohio
Elizabeth Lehman Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Lulu Kerr Crowell, Hometown, Ind.
Roy Girod, Berne, Ind.
Ella Welty Kohler, Fresno, Calif.
Edward Eichenberger, Berne, Ind.
Selma Neuenschwander Habegger, Berne, Ind.
Waldo Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Alda Sprunger Soldner, Pandora, Ohio
Esther Habegger Girod, Berne, Ind.
Josephine Sauder Gerig, Fort Wayne, Ind.

1915

Gertrude Lehman Soldner, Berne, Ind.
Edna Neaderhouser, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Vera Braun Rohrer, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Martha Lehman Rohrs, Edgerton, Ohio
Everett Schug, Berne, Ind.
Elda Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Ruth Kattman (Dro) Meckstroth, Huntington, Ind.
Alice Lehman Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Elma Luginbill Wise, Van Wert, Ohio
Naomi Haecker Sprunger, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Noah Soldner, Pandora, Ohio
Ova Wechter Scherer, Niles, Ohio
Horace Caffee, Downers Grove, Ill.
Milton Sprunger, Roseville, Ill.
Cleo Rumble Pyle, Geneva, Ind.
Ella Habegger Rosenberger, Dalton, Ohio
Frieda Maurer Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Ruth Reusser Schroeder, Sedgwick, Kansas
Paul Rohrer—Deceased
Arthur Sprunger, Goshen, Ind.

1916

Cordelia Riesen Sprunger, Goshen, Ind.
Irene Stuckey Winteregg, Monroe, Ind.
Frances Reusser Michaud, Berne, Ind.
Lester Smith, Berne, Ind.
David D. Bixler—Deceased
Sybilla Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Alvin van der Smissen, Buhler, Kansas
Edna Neuenschwander Hartman, Wahpeton, North Dakota
Mabel Hirschy Johnston, Detroit, Michigan
Florence Lehman Ramseyer, Oskaloosa, Iowa
Ermin D. Bixler, Berne, Ind.
Rufus Blowers, Owensboro, Ky.
Clarence Hirschy, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Pearl Atz Glendenning, Geneva, Ind.
Joel Habegger, Seattle, Washington
Leona Sprunger Liechty, Berne, Ind.
Charlotte Stengel, Berne, Ind.
Raymond Wulliman, Tuscola, Ill.
Ilma Baumgartner Caffee, Downers Grove, Ill.
Daniel Teeter, Geneva, Ind.
Clinton Soldner, Berne, Ind.
Lorena Sprunger Lehman, Berne, Ind.

1917

Agnes Atz Shoemaker, Berne, Ind.
Ruth Bockman Knapp, Decatur, Ind.
Lorine Habegger Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Naomi Martz Beitler, Berne, Ind.
Wilma Rawley Sorg, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Arveda Rumpel (Wagner) Schwartz, Berne, Ind.
Agnes Schenck Striker, Decatur, Ind.
Velma Schug Hirschy, Fresno, Calif.
Carl Amstutz, Berne, Ind.
Ira Baumgartner, Sylvania, Ohio
Gerhart Franz, Oneonh, N. Y.
Clifton Gilliom, Berne, Ind.
Elmer Gilliom, South Bend, Ind.
Amos Habegger, West Lafayette, Ind.
Irvin Hirschy, Fresno, Calif.
Tilman Hirschy, Berne, Ind.
Paul Kattman—Deceased
Austin Lenman, Long Island City, N. Y.
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Homer Sipe, address unknown
Clarence Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Edison Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Ira Stucky, Berne, Ind.
Andrew Cook—Deceased

1918

Edna Burkhalter Case, Lagrange, Ind.
Selma Burkhalter Nussbaum, Berne, Ind.
Irlene Franz Whitesell, Chicago, Ill.
Sulicia Hofstetter Barrett, Mishawaka, Ind.
Frieda Lehman, Evanston, Ill.
Helen Reusser Hoffman, New Paltz, N. Y.
Augusta Sprunger Dubach, Berne, Ind.
Elizabeth van der Smissen Grakos, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Willis Baumgartner, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Ernest Cook, Paso Robles, Calif.
Walter Gilliom, Decatur, Ind.
Edward Liechty, Berne, Ind.
Paul Luginbill, Youngstown, Ohio
Russel Merriman, Ohio City, Ohio
Alida Sprunger Schindler, Berne, Ind.
Eugene Wechter, Speed, Ind.
Franklin Lehman, Littlefield, Texas
Howard Sprunger, Berne, Ind.

1919

Howard Liechty, Bronx, New York
Ralph Martz, Mendon, Ohio
Harold Reusser, Columbus, Ohio
Leslie Sprunger—Deceased
Paul Sprunger, Milwaukee, Wis.
Frank Kuntz, Berne, Ind.
Roland van der Smissen, Ely, Nevada
Willard Hirschy, Berne, Ind.
Victor Bagley, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Leota Sprunger Eicher, Berne, Ind.
Ruth Rohrer Wulliman, Berne, Ind.
Esther Bintz Hunter, Decatur, Ind.
Florence Rohrer Hazen—Deceased
Beulah Buyer Stucky, Geneva, Ind.
Marie Hilty Bixler, Neillsville, Wis.
Lydia Liechty Thielman, St. Paul, Minn.
Helen Nickel, Janjgir, C. P., India
Surilda Riesen, Berne, Ind.
Edna Braun, Berne, Ind.

1920

Eva Burkhalter Habegger, Berne, Ind.
Earl Craig, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Oral Davidson, Berne, Ind.
Esther Eichenberger, Berne, Ind.
Menno Eicher, Berne, Ind.
Ilma Franz Geiser, Dover, Ohio
Arminda Hirschy Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Cora Habegger, Hamilton, Ohio
Tilman Lehman, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Walter Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Ora McAlhane, Decatur, Ind.
Howard Michaud, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Palmer Moser, Berne, Ind.
Alma Schindler Kliever, Los Angeles, Calif.
Magdalene Sprunger Hirschy, Plainwell, Mich.
Wm. Stauffer, Fort Wayne, Ind.

1921

Agnes Gilliom Thume, Washington, D. C.
Ernest Hiestand, Melmore, Ohio
Emma Schug, Berne, Ind.
Gertrude Sprunger Thomas, Union City, Ind.
Dessie Amstutz Imhoff—Deceased
Agnes Franz MacDonald, Berwyn, Ill.
Helen Gilliom Bergstedt, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Martin Zuercher, Chicago, Ill.
Louise Hilty Hiestand, Melmore, Ohio
Edna Mettler (Habegger) Turner, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Katherine Schug Clauser, Berne, Ind.
Esther Sprunger Zehr, Berne, Ind.
Dennis Moser, Bluffton, Ind.
Anna Luginbill Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Preston Zehr, Berne, Ind.

1922

Laura Reusser Krick, Decatur, Ind.
Clarence E. Liechty, South Bend, Ind.
Ida Graber Parr, Owensboro, Kentucky
Arvilla Sprunger Troyer, Syracuse, New York
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Margaret Rohrer, Berne, Ind.
Ruth Liechty, Berne, Ind.
Dale Braun, Cannelton, Ind.
Faye Foreman Gaines, Hamilton, Ohio
Erna Hirschy, Berne, Ind.
Leonard Whitehurst, Berne, Ind.
Nora Bagley, Berne, Ind.
Mary Ann Habegger, Kendallville, Ind.
Howard Stucky, Kokomo, Ind.
Gladys Long Line, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan
Ludella Stauffer Whitehurst, Berne, Ind.
C. August Nagel, Berne, Ind.
Howard Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Laura Lehman Canen, Berne, Ind.

1923

Beatrice Brewster Schug, Berne, Ind.
Flora Franz Krehbiel, Three Rivers, Calif.
Myron Habegger, Berne, Ind.
Florence Liechty Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Palmer Eicher, Decatur, Ind.
Olive Winteregg Liechty, Berne, Ind.
Walter Schug, Berne, Ind.
Florence Hilty Bixler, Berne, Ind.
Frieda Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Ethel Taylor, Bluffton, Ind.
Naomi Liechty Gilliom, Berne, Ind.
Roman Miller, Cleveland, Ohio
Helen Burkhalter Schneek, Pandora, Ohio

1924

Gladys Neuenschwander, Berne, Ind.
Velma Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Melvin Lehman, Bedford, Ind.
Edna van der Smissen Morrison, San Antonio, Texas
Bernice Eaton Rankin, Modesto, Calif.
Harold Long, Geneva, Ind.
Mary Hirschy, Berne, Ind.
Emma Tucker Scott, Bluffton, Ind.
Eloyd Lehman, Berne, Ind.
Magdalena Hirschy Johnson, Geneva, Ind.
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Walter Nagel, Berne, Ind.
Agnes Biery Fravel, Flint, Michigan
Arvilla Lehman Schindler—Deceased
Dale Eley, Berne, Ind.
Gladys Amstutz Leonard, Peoria Heights, Ill.

Hilda Moser Amstutz, Berne, Ind.
 Elva Baumgartner Winteregg, Los Angeles, Calif.
 Tillman Hauegger, Cleveland, Ohio
 Mildred Sprunger—Deceased
 Evelyn Luginbill Habegger, Cleveland, Ohio
 Forest Brickley, Richmond, Ind.

1925

Judson Erne, Berne, Ind.
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 Rufus Liechty, Berne, Ind.
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 Arveda Hauegger Gould, Decatur, Ind.
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1926

Waldo Stauffer, Berne, Ind.
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 Henry Ehrsam, Berne, Ind.
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 Carl Stuckey, Berne, Ind.
 Elma Moser Eckrote, Berne, Ind.
 Carl Luginbill, Berne, Ind.
 Josephine Reusser Bagley, Berne, Ind.
 Lester Huser, Berne, Ind.
 Viola Lusk Haines, Berne, Ind.
 Willard Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
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 Karl Hilty, Berne, Ind.
 Mildred Heller Rinebolt, Huntington, Ind.
 Twyla Snyder Monce, Linn Grove, Ind.
 Ellison Neuenschwander, Berne, Ind.
 Harmon Bagley, Berne, Ind.
 Kermit Baumgartner, San Bernardino, Calif.
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 Ruth Speicher Baumgartner, Rice Lake, Wis.
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1927

Winifred Aeschliman Price, Berne, Ind.
 Martha Amstutz, Fort Wayne, Ind.
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 Marcella Michaud, Mishawaka, Ind.
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 Ivan Sprunger, Bluffton, Ind.
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1928

Florence Aeschliman Hilty, Berne, Ind.
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1929

Earlene Baumgartner Clauser, Berne, Ind.
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 Gerald Elzey, Berne, Ind.
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 Ivan Huser, Berne, Ind.
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 Edith Mettler Beer, Berne, Ind.
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 Newell Neuhauser, Berne, Ind.
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1930

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1931

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Naomi Neuenschwander Lehman, Berne, Ind.

1932

Agnes B. Amstutz Bracker, Wilmore, Ky.
Esther Baumgartner Gerber, Orrville, Ohio
Minnie Behling Wilkens, Berne, Ind.
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Lenora Neuenschwander, Berne, Ind.
Marcella Neuenschwander Augsburg, Berne, Ind.
Edith Schindler Kattman, Wilmington, Del.
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Weidon Soldner, Berne, Ind.
Margaret Sprunger Eggers, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Lillie Templin, Berne, Ind.
Annabel Von Gunten, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Margery Wittwer Granberry, Rawleigh, Miss.
Geraldine Von Gunten, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Elizabeth Zuercher, Fort Wayne, Ind.

1933

Harriet Baumgartner Macy, Berne, Ind.
Ellen Beer, Berne, Ind.
Florence Burkhalter, Berne, Ind.
Mahala Burley Schuelke, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Bernice Dro Tallman, Berne, Ind.
Harriet Habegger Gerber, Berne, Ind.
Louise Herman, Palestine, Ohio
Martha Hirschy, Berne, Ind.
Frieda Inniger Stepler, Monroe, Ind.
Celeste Lehman Liechty, Berne, Ind.
Dorcas Liechty Nussbaum, Berne, Ind.
Mabel Massinger Yager, Berne, Ind.
Agnes Neuenschwander, Wheaton, Ill.
Evelyn Smith Lockridge, Dalton, Ga.
Barbara Speicher, Gary, Ind.
Verena Sprunger Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Winifred Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Lucille Winteregg Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Genevieve Smith Strickler, Monroe, Ind.
Eugene Aeschliman, Berne, Ind.
Gordon Bracker, Wilmore, Ky.
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Rawley Jones, Berne, Ind.

Carl Lehman, Berne, Ind.
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Earl Liechty, Berne, Ind.
Ralph Liechty, Berne, Ind.
Weldon Neuenschwander, Berne, Ind.
Melvin Nussbaum, Berne, Ind.
Donald Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
LaVerne Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Noel Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Martin Steiner, Quincy, Michigan
Gerald Stucky, Newton, Kansas
Lores Stucky, Berne, Ind.
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1934

Marjorie Baumgartner, Berne, Ind.
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Marden Habegger, Chicago, Ill.
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Warren Lehman, Berne, Ind.
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Jerome Nussbaum, Berne, Ind.
Wayne Reusser, Berne, Ind.
Walter Schindler, North Manchester, Ind.
Otis Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Ornell Stauffer, Berne, Ind.
Clarence Tallman, Berne, Ind.
Fred Von Gunten, Berne, Ind.

1935

Gwendolyn Aeschliman, Berne, Ind.
Gordon Augsburg, Berne, Ind.
Helen Balsiger, Berne, Ind.
Ruth Baumgartner, Wheaton, Ill.
Richard Beitler, Berne, Ind.
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Catherine Mettler, Marengo, Ill.
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Paul Neuenschwander, Berne, Ind.
Kenneth Neuhauser, Berne, Ind.
Mary Jane Nussbaum Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
Anna Louise Schug, Mackinac, Ill.
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Margaret Jane Steiner Schindler, Berne, Ind.
Edward Stucky, Berne, Ind.
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1936

Bernice Amstutz Kraner, Celina, Ohio
Eddyth Baumgartner Reusser, Berne, Ind.
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 Omar Reusser, Berne, Ind.
 Avery Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Claire Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
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1937

Anna Marie Amstutz, Berne, Ind.
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 Robert Dro, Bloomington, Ind.
 Vergene Dro, Berne, Ind.
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 Margaret Belle Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Sherwood Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Weldon Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Maxine Steiner, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Leslie Stuckey, Jr., Berne, Ind.
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 Winifred Winteregg Charleston, Fort Wayne, Ind.
 Josephine Zehr, Fort Wayne, Ind.
 Richard van der Smisen, Berne, Ind.

1938

Frances Aeschliman, Berne, Ind.
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 Bertilene Braun, Berne, Ind.
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1939

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 Jean Helen Habegger, Berne, Ind.
 Noble Hilty, Berne, Ind.
 Benjamin Jones, Berne, Ind.
 Edna Lehman, Fort Wayne, Ind.
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 Kathryn Mazelin Campbell, Bluffton, Ind.
 Emerson Moser, Berne, Ind.
 Christine Neuhauser, Berne, Ind.
 Eugene Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Gretchen Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Juanita Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Louise Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Max Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Orlando Sprunger, Berne, Ind.
 Bette Mae Stauffer, Berne, Ind.
 Eileen Stuckey, Berne, Ind.
 Maxine Stucky, Berne, Ind.

JOKES

Maid—Did you order a honeymoon salad?

Bride—Yeah, "lettuce alone."

* * *

Teacher—Why does the sun never set on the British Empire?

Willie—Because the good Lord can't trust him in the dark.

* * *

"Do you know what the right eye said to the left eye?"

"No."

"Something smells between us!"

* * *

"Have you read 'Freckles'?"

"No, Ma'am, mine are brown."

* * *

Ireland is the richest country in the world—her capital is always "Dublin."

* * *

"Why do you always flirt with the waitress?"

"I'm playing for big steaks."

* * *

"Ginger ale, please."

"Pale?"

"No, just a glass."

* * *

Diner—Do you serve crabs here?

Waiter—We serve anyone, sit down!

* * *

"Why were there so few girl athletes in the gay nineties?"

"Because they were all 'Bustle bound!'"

* * *

Teacher—Are you ready to recite your lovely poem about spring, Willie?

Willie—Yes, Ma'am, "Hi Diddle, Diddle, the cat and the fiddle, the cow jumped over the moon,—some spring, eh?"

* * *

She was born on their wooden wedding anniversary, so they named her "Peg."

* * *

"Do you know what the 'Little Man Who Wasn't There' eats for breakfast?"

"No."

"Ghost Toasties."

* * *

Give some people enough rope and they'll skip off with your wife.

* * *

Warden—I've had charge of this prison for ten years. We're goin' to celebrate. What kind of a party do you boys suggest?

Prisoners—Open house.

* * *

"Your new coat is very loud."

"Yes, but I intend wearing a muffler with it."

* * *

A young theologian named Fiddle,

Refused to accept his degree;

"For," said he, "'Tis enough to be Fiddle,

Without being Fiddle, D.D."

* * *

"I saw your picture in the rogues' gallery, Butch."

"Yeah, I was framed."

* * *

A button is a small event that is always coming off.

* * *

Said the toe to the sock,

Let me through, let me through.

Said the sock to the toe,

I'll be "darned" if I do.

* * *

"Do you know why New York has no fog?"

"No."

"They use skyscrapers."

* * *

Despondent—Another drink and things will look different.

* * *

"While you were in the hospital, did they put stitches in you?"

"No, I just pulled myself together."

* * *

And he's dedicating this song to all the cats who gave up their lives to become "fiddle strings."

* * *

"Why are you hanging that picture over there?"

"Because the nail don't fit on the other wall, the head's on the wrong end."

* * *

Customer—Shave and massage.

Barber—I hear you been going out with my wife.

Customer—Just a massage.

* * *

"Why do sailors use knots instead of miles?"

"To be sure the ocean's tide."

* * *

First Baseman—Come on "Lefty," hold him on.

Pitcher—You hold him on, you're closer.

* * *

Salesman—Do they fit?

Truckdriver—Yeah, Diesel do.

* * *

"That car sure is a bargain."

"On the level?"

"Sure, but not on a hill."

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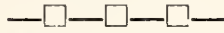
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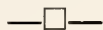
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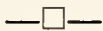
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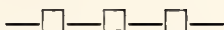
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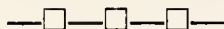
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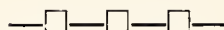


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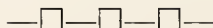
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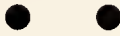
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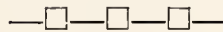
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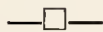
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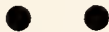
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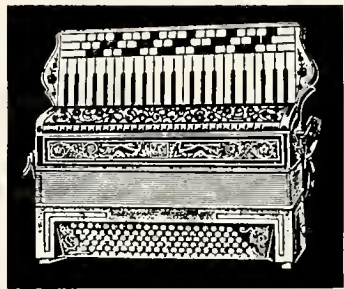
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